

REGISTER OF CLASSIFICATION DECISIONS

Title of Publication: The Funhouse

Other Known Title: Not Stated

Format: DVD

Director/Author: Tobe Hooper

Producer/Publisher: Derek Power, et al.

Country of Origin: USA

Language: English

Applicant: The Film and Video Labelling Body Inc.

Distributor: Gamewizz Digital Entertainment

Classification:	Objectionable except if the availability of the publication is restricted to persons who have attained the age of 16 years.
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Descriptive Note: Violence, drug use and sex scenes.

Display Conditions: Nil

Date of entry in Register: 12 November 2007

Date of direction to issue a label: 09 November 2007

OFLC No: 702513

Unexcised version of publication:

	Components	Running time
Menu:	Play Feature Select Scenes Tobe Hooper Interview Theatrical Trailer Umbrella Trailers	

Feature:	The Funhouse	91.15
Other timed components:	Tobe Hooper Interview	24.21
	The Funhouse (Trailer)	1.23
	Eaten Alive	2.11
	Spontaneous Combustion	2.12
	The American Nightmare	3.43
	Suspiria	1.19
Other components:	Copyright Warning Notice	
	Umbrella Horror DVD Notice	
Total running time:		126.24

Excisions: No Excisions Recommended

Reasons for excisions:

Not Applicable

**Summary of reasons
for classification:**

The DVD *The Funhouse* classified as:

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The DVD contains a film previously examined by both the Chief Censor of Films (7150 registered 10 August 1981), and the Video Recording Authority (60504 registered 25 October 1988). Allowing for the different formats in which the films were examined it appears that this film is identical to the previous versions examined.

The DVD also contains a trailer for the film, four trailers for other horror films, and an interview with the director of the film. These components include matters of horror, violence and cruelty in the same manner as those in the original film. The extra components do not require the DVD to be given a different classification to that of the films originally examined. The Video Recording Authority classified the film "Indecent in the hands of persons under the age of 16 years". Subject to s161(2) of the Films, Videos, and Publications Classification Act 1993 the equivalent classification of "Objectionable except if the availability of the publication is restricted to persons who have attained the age of 16 years" applies.